Lake Mead National Recreation Area

Interpretive Ranger Programs



April Hikes



The National Park Service will offer limited guided hikes and programs during April. Limited hikes and programs will occur at different times and locations in the Lake Mead National Recreation Area. For more information and reservations call the Alan Bible Visitor Center at 702.293.8990 between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Reservations are required on all hikes. Please leave dogs at home unless the hike states otherwise. This program can also be downloaded at www.nps.gov/lame

Saturday, April 4 - Moonlight Hike

Join Larry and experience the mystery of the Historic Railroad Trail by the light of the Mojave Desert moon. The railroad was built to transport supplies to Hoover Dam during the 1930's when the dam was under construction. Learn the fascinating history of the railroad and of the men that built this cultural landmark. This is an easy 3-mile hike overlooking the waters of Lake Mead. Don't forget your flashlight.

Sunday, April 5 – Arizona Hot Springs

Explore the scenic White Rock Canyon which leads directly to the Colorado River below Hoover Dam to a well known hot spring on the Arizona side. On the way out, hikers will travel through the hot springs and out the canyon that feeds the springs. This is a 6-mile loop trail lead by Tom.

Tuesday, April 7 – Historic Railroad Trail

Hike along an old railroad bed which leads to five large tunnels. The railroad was built to transport supplies to Hoover Dam during the 1930's when the dam was under construction. Learn the fascinating history of this cultural landmark and share historical photos with Ranger Sky.

Tuesday, April 14 - Mussel Invasion

Quagga mussels have taken over Lake Mead! Come learn about the impacts they have on the ecosystem, the underwater resources and recreational boaters. Join Ranger Megan and Emily from Resource Management at the Boulder City Library at 7 p.m. for an informative talk.